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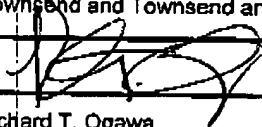
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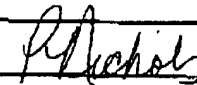
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Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
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Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

**2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES****Fee Description**

Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)

Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)

Multiple dependent claims

Small Entity	
Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)
50	25
200	100
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**Total Claims** 38 -20 or HP = 5 x \$25 = \$125

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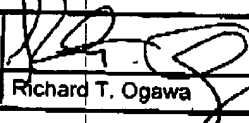
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